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C O N F I D E N T I A L DAR ES SALAAM 2133

CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: SHUM, WA, TZ
SUBJECT: NAMIBIA: STATUS OF SWAPO PRISONERS

REF: A) DAR ES SALAAM 2114, B) STATE 124879, C) DAR ES SALAAM 2100

1. IN CONVERSATION ON ANOTHER SUBJECT MAY 18 WITH TANZANIAN
FOREIGN MINISTER MKAPA, I MENTIONED HIS PRINCIPAL SECRETARY'S
REQUEST (REF C) FOR ASSURANCES SHOULD THE SWAPO DETAINEES BE
RELEASED, AND CONFIRMED TO MKAPA OUR POSITION THAT THE ASSUR-
ANCES REQUESTED WOULD NOT BE POSSIBLE FROM THE US.

2.
MKAPA GRINNED AND SAID: "AW, TOO BAD, BUT WE'RE GOING TO
KICK THE WHOLE LOT OF THEM OUT VERY SOON ANYWAY." THIS SEEMS
CONFIRM SUGGESTIONS PARA 6, REF C, THAT TANZANIANS ARE MERELY
GOING THROUGH THE MOTIONS FOR SWAPO'S BENEFIT.

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